

House Resolution No. 2399

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has distinguished herself through excellence in education; and

Whereas, Kathy Roweton, an esteemed resident of Halfway, Missouri, is the first recipient of the Missouri State Art Teachers Association K-12 Art Teacher of the Year award; and

Whereas, Kathy Roweton has been teaching K-12 students with the Halfway School District for the past twenty-six years, during which time she has witnessed twenty of her students continue their education in art-related fields; and

Whereas, the unique situation of teaching art at every grade level has allowed Kathy Roweton the opportunity to tune and perfect her students' talents each year; and

Whereas, Kathy Roweton believes that art allows students to solve problems visually and that art helps them in other areas of study, including those tested in achievement tests such as the MAP test; and

Whereas, Kathy Roweton considers herself most fortunate for the relationships that she has developed with her students over the years and enjoys the close-knit working environment of the District:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Kathy Roweton at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing her only the very best of success in all her future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Kathy Roweton.

Offered by _____
Representative Ronnie Miller
District No. 133

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2399, adopted April 29, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker